



**SAN ANTONIO**

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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### ***SAPD Hosts Safety Fair to Promote National Night Out***

**WHO:** San Antonio Police Department

**WHEN:** Saturday, August 29<sup>th</sup>  
10:00 a.m.

**WHERE:** Target  
4522 Fredericksburg Rd.

**CONTACT:** Officer Scott Hermes

McGruff the Crime Dog will be flanked by mascots from the San Antonio Fire Department, Code Compliance, City Public Service and San Antonio Water Systems for a Safety Fair to promote National Night Out.

Personal, home and vehicle safety information will be available as well as Child Fingerprinting and domestic/family violence education.

There is still time to register your NNO event on-line at [http://www.sanantonio.gov/sapd/NNO2009sign\\_up.asp](http://www.sanantonio.gov/sapd/NNO2009sign_up.asp).

National Night Out is designed to: (1) heighten crime and drug prevention awareness; (2) generate support for, and participation in, local anti-crime programs; (3) strengthen neighborhood spirit and police/community interaction; and (4) send a message to criminals letting them know neighborhoods nationwide are organized and fighting back.

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